## Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 31, with the following rewritten paragraph:

As shown in Fig. 2, the facsimile apparatus 10 may connect the line control unit 28 and the Internet 62, via the public telephone line 56 and an internet provider 60. The facsimile apparatus 10 may also connect the network control unit 30 and the Internet 62, via the LAN 68. A receiver-side facsimile (fax) apparatus A 58 and a receiver-side personal computer (PC) 66 are connected to the Internet 62, via the public telephone line 56 and a receiver-side provider A 64. The receiver-side fax apparatus A 58 is also connected to the internet facsimile apparatus 10, via the public telephone line 56. Similarly, a receiver-side facsimile (fax) apparatus B 59 is connected to the Internet 62 via the public telephone line 56 and a receiverside provider B 61. A receiver-side facsimile (fax) apparatus C 63 is connected to the Internet 62 via the same LAN 68 as the internet facsimile apparatus 10 is on. Each of the internet facsimile apparatus 10, the fax apparatus A 58, B 59 and C63 has its own mail address of abc@de.fgh.co.jp, lmn@op.grs.co.jp lmn@op.grs.co.jp, tuv@wx.yza.co.jp, and ijk@de.fgh.co.jp, respectively. The mail addresses consists of an account name, followed by an at mark (@) followed by a domain name. That is, the account name is placed before the at mark (@) (the left-side part of the mail address). The domain name is placed after the at mark (@) (the right-side part of the mail address). The domain name includes the letters representing the country, for example, ip for Japan and fr for France, and those representing the type of organization, for example, "co"/"com" for commercial organizations and "go"/"gov" for government agencies. The account name indicates the user name in the organization, so that the users can thereby be identified. The fax apparatus A 58 has a predetermined facsimile number (for example, 03-1234-5678) that can be connected via the public telephone line 56.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 10, line 15, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Fig. 7C shows the results of the transmission information attachment/non-attachment process carried out when the internet facsimile apparatus 10 (abc@de.fgh.co.jp) (see "From" in Fig. 7A) transmits to the receiver-side fax apparatus B 59 (tuv@wx.yza.co.jp) (see "To" in Fig. 7A) at 14:21 on Thursday, the 14th of January, 1999 (see "Date" in Fig. 7A), the image information regarding the Japan map (see "Subject" in Fig. 7A). The fax apparatus B 59 (tuv@wx.yza.co.jp) does not have the same domain name (de.fgh.co.jp) as the internet facsimile apparatus 10 (abc@de.fgh.co.jp) (NO in S5), or is not the mail address (lmn@op.eo.jp) (lmn@op.qrs.co.jp) for which non-attachment of the various transmission information is preset, via the attachment/non-attachment setting key 52 (NO in S7). Therefore, various transmission information is attached to a part of the image information (S13) to be received in the fax apparatus B 59. Consequently, the image information such that the transmission information is attached to the top of the image information on the read medium (shown in Fig. 7B), is received in the fax apparatus B 59 (see Fig. 7C).

